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SUBJECT: 2016 Census Data for Allocating School Year 2018-19 Title I, Part A and Title II, Part A Funds

Please find attached US Census 2016 population and poverty estimates for local educational agencies (LEAs) in the State of Michigan. This data will be used to calculate Title I, Part A and Title II, Part A allocations for school year 2018-19, so please review your data for accuracy. Contact information is provided below if you have questions or concerns.

Census Data

The Census Bureau has established **February 28, 2018** as the deadline to submit challenges in cases where non-statistical errors can be documented. Generally included in these are errors the Census Bureau may have made in (1) processing the data used to run its estimation models and (2) processing information that defines a school district's geographic boundaries.

If you believe the Census estimates are incorrect, **please contact the Census Bureau directly to obtain information on how to challenge the data:**

(301) 763-3193
E-mail: sehsd.saipe@census.gov

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Include your name, mailing address, telephone number, e-mail address, and organization affiliation in your e-mail. Information regarding the Census Bureau's challenge procedures can be found at the following:

<http://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/saipe/about/contact/challenges.html>

School District Boundary Information

Note that the list of school districts used for the 2016 estimates is based on school year 2015-16 district boundary information. Also, the school districts on this list include only "regular" school districts that have geographic boundaries. The list does not include charter schools or regional vocational education districts. Your school district boundary map can be viewed at:

<http://michigan.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=438dc453faf749d786e0c6e8be731cfd>

All changes submitted to the Michigan Department of Technology, Management and Budget Center for Shared Solutions may not be reflected in the available maps.

Any questions about the school district boundary maps should be directed to rossj@michigan.gov.